

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA
Civil No.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	
Petitioner,)	
)	DECLARATION OF RICHARD
v.)	WALLIN
)	
JOHN K. THORNTON,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

Richard A. Wallin declares pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746(1):

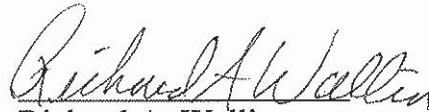
1. I am a duly commissioned revenue officer employed in the Small Business/Self Employed Division Central Compliance Area of the Internal Revenue Service located at 1550 American Blvd. East, Suite 500, Bloomington, MN 55425.
2. In my capacity as a revenue officer, I am conducting an investigation into the collection of federal income tax liability of Respondent John K. Thornton for the calendar years ending: 2001, 2002, and 2003. In addition, I am conducting an investigation regarding delinquent individual income tax returns for tax periods ending: 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, and 2012.
3. Attached as Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of a letter I mailed Respondent John K. Thornton on March 22, 2018.
4. Attached as Exhibit B is a true and correct copy of a letter I received from Respondent John K. Thornton on March 26, 2018
5. Attached as Exhibit C is a true and correct copy of a letter I mailed Respondent John

K. Thornton on March 28, 2018, to which I attached a copy of Mr. Thornton's notice of tax deficiency.

6. As of the date of this Declaration, I have not received any information from Respondent John K. Thornton, in response to the letters I sent him that are attached as exhibits hereto.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed this 23rd day of April, 2018.


Richard A. Wallin
Revenue Officer